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March 13, 2014

### VIA ECFS

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

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Re: *Technology Transitions*, GN Docket No. 13-5; *AT&T Petition to Launch a Proceeding Concerning the TDM-to-IP Transition*, GN Docket No. 12-353

Dear Ms. Dortch,

Pursuant to the *Protective Order* and *Second Protective Order* issued in the above-captioned proceedings, the enclosed Acknowledgments of Confidentiality are being submitted for inclusion in the record. These Acknowledgments of Confidentiality apply to both of the categories of material designated as subject to Protective Orders (Confidential and Highly Confidential) for myself, Matthew Brill, and Alexander Stout as Outside Counsel.

By this submission, we request access to the confidential version of the AT&T Proposal for Wire Center Trials filed on February 27, 2014, in the above-referenced proceedings.

Please contact me with any questions about this submission.

Sincerely,

/s/ Elizabeth Park

Elizabeth Park  
LATHAM & WATKINS LLP

Enclosures

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on March 13, 2014, I caused true and correct copies of the foregoing letter and attached Acknowledgements of Confidentiality to be filed on ECFS and served via hand delivery on the following:

Christopher Heimann  
Gary Phillips  
Lori Fink  
AT&T Services Inc.  
1120 20<sup>th</sup> Street, NW  
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alexander Stout', written over a horizontal line.

Alexander Stout

## APPENDIX

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Executed this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2014.



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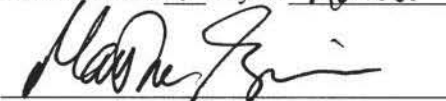
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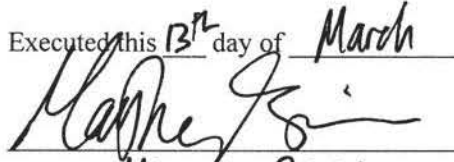
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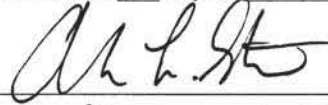
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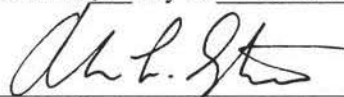
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